

Amendment No. 1 to SB0820

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 820*

House Bill No. 1266

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by deleting the amendatory language of Section 1 in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(b) The total number of beds in private-for-profit and private not-for-profit ICF/MR facilities shall not exceed a total maximum of six hundred sixty-eight (668) except as provided herein. Up to four (4) beds in two (2) bed increments may be allocated to each private community-based not-for-profit agency which has been providing services to persons with developmental disabilities or mental retardation under contract with the state for at least five (5) years. To be approved for a two (2) bed increment, an agency must agree to accept one (1) ICF/MR client from a state developmental center for occupancy of one (1) of such beds and make the other bed available to a local client on the state "waiting list". The total amount of additional allowed beds shall not exceed fifty (50) and may only be provided in a facility consisting of not more than four (4) beds. Each two (2) bed incremental increase authorized by this subsection shall be permitted only if the cost to the state for the individual to be relocated to the private ICF/MR from a developmental center is offset by savings at the developmental center. In compliance with the certificate of need process, private for-profit and private not-for-profit ICF/MR beds may be transferred from one location to another but the total number of such beds shall not exceed six hundred sixty-eight (668), except as provided above.

AND FURTHER AMEND BY deleting Section 2 in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

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SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002, the public welfare requiring it.